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Attorney Docket No.: 02SPE130P

AMENDMENT COVER SHEETIN RE APPLICATION OF: Zhao, et al.SERIAL NO.: 09/665,422 FILED: September 20, 2000FOR: Damascene Interconnect Structure And Fabrication Method Having Air Gaps Between Metal Lines And Metal LayersHONORABLE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS
P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir/Madam:

Transmitted herewith is a paper in the above-identified application. Any necessary extension of time period set for this paper is hereby requested.

☒ No additional fee is required.☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below:☐ EXTENSION FEE

	RATE Non-Small Entity	RATE Small-Entity	FEE
FIRST MONTH AFTER TIME PERIOD SET	110.00	55.00	\$
SECOND MONTH AFTER TIME PERIOD SET	410.00	205.00	\$
THIRD MONTH AFTER TIME PERIOD SET	930.00	465.00	\$
FOURTH MONTH AFTER TIME PERIOD SET	1,450.00	725.00	\$

☐ TOTAL EXTENSION FEE \$ _____☐ FEE FOR EXTRA CLAIMS added by Amendment in this response:

	Column 1	Column 2	Column 3			
	Number of Claims after Amendment	Number Previously Paid for	Number of Extra Claims	RATE Non-Small Entity	RATE Small Entity	FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	16	MINUS **20	* = 0	x 18	x 9	\$
INDEPENDENT	2	MINUS ***3	* = 0	x 84	x 42	\$
First presentation of multiple dependent claim				+ 280	+ 140	\$

TOTAL FEE FOR EXTRA CLAIMS \$ _____


* If the entry in Column 1 is less than the entry of Column 2, write "0" in Column 3.

** If the number of Total Claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.

*** If the number of Independent Claims previously paid for is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

- ☐ Total fee for Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement \$
- ☐ Enclosed is the total fee of \$_____ (Payment by Credit Card, Form PTO-2038 Enclosed).
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0731 in the amount of \$
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with this communication, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0731. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Date: 9/22/03

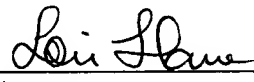
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